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A Winged General of the Seas.

One of the most extraordinary specimens of the fish family is the "mam hat gun," or great general of the south sea, an animal of the whale species, which has its home in the Indian ocean. A full grown mam is upward of thirty-five feet in length, pure black in color and has eyes as large as a saucer. Besides the above characteristic features, which may be said to be whalelike, with the exception of the eyes, the mam has two immense tusks which resemble those of the elephant, both in size and color, and two queer winglike membranes extending along its sides from the side fins almost to the tail. The old mam has a curious habit of marshaling their kind to do battle with the whales and the sharks, and old mariners say that they maneuver with so much intelligence and sagacity that they are known to all the islanders by names which signify winged generals, winged warriors or winged chiefs of the seas.

The Recluse.

Although the hellebore is a tender plant, extremely sensitive to cold, it is one of the best plants for cultivation indoors. It seems to have few diseases and is usually free from insect enemies, while with abundant water and sunshine and sufficient artificial heat it will bloom all winter long year after year and is so tenacious of life that when cut down to a mere stick it quickly shoots forth luxuriant new wood. In addition to this the more the plant is pruned the more luxuriantly it blossoms. The blossoms should be cut with a considerable length of the new wood upon which they grow, and if at once fully immersed in water and then placed deep in a well filled vase they remain fresh and odorless for many days. The plant is a little difficult for amateurs to propagate from cuttings, though with plenty of water and sun and some bottom heat the young cuttings quickly root and prosper.

A Fat Reply.

President McKinley once had an applicant for the post of minister to Brazil who brought with him a petition signed by 7,000 Chicagoans. It seems that he was a picture framer, and as he went about canvassing for orders he was in the habit of collecting signatures to his petition. President McKinley listened respectfully to the applicant, questioned him as to his qualifications and finally explained that before he could give the matter serious consideration he would have to confer with the senators and representatives from Illinois.

"You know that we have to select big men for these big places," said the president kindly as he bade his caller goodby.

"Well I be just as big as any of 'em."

Father of the Weather Bureau.

The father of the weather bureau service was Increase A. Lapham, a modest and retired but ripe scholar, who lived in Milwaukee. He was the first to note by telegraph the progress of the wind currents and storms and to predict their appearance in specified neighborhoods. On the strength of a weather dispatch from Omaha in 1883 or thereabouts he announced the first storm on Lake Michigan that ever was heralded twelve hours in advance of its arrival. The first work of the weather bureau was under his charge in Chicago. It was on the small beginnings of Dr. Lapham that the entire system of the signal service was based. Dr. Lapham died in 1873.

The Dear, Worn Hand.

Few things are capable of touching one with a deeper sense of pathos than the shrunken, blue veined hand of one who is near and dear. Nothing brings a sharper pang of foreboding and a harder lump in the throat than the first time it strikes us that the gentle hand that soothed our childish pains and griefs and has gladly worn away its softness and beauty in our service is thin and withered, with purple veins that stand out like whipcords when it lies at rest. Such a hand ought to look more beautiful to those for whom it has toiled, whose suffering it has charmed away, than the fairest hand ever modeled by a sculptor.

Think the Earth is Hollow.

According to a queer belief in existence among the Icelanders, all waters which flow toward the north are drawn off toward a suction created by the oceans tumbling down through the hollow which, they firmly believe, penetrates our globe from pole to pole. Their authority for this curious belief is the "Utama Saga," a semi-sacred work, written early in the fourteenth century.

Hope and Joy.

Hope, of all passions, most befriends us here. Joy has her tears, and transports her death. Hope, like a cordial, innocent, though strong, man's heart at once inspirits and serenifies, nor makes him pay his wisdom for his joys.—Young.

She Knew Him.

An architect remarked to a lady that he had been to see the great man in the new church. The lady replied: "Don't mention names. I know the man to whom you refer."—Sacred Heart Review.

Holding Hands.

De Garry—Why is it that when a fellow is alone with a girl he loves they seldom play cards? Merritt—Because if they did she would have to hold her own hand.

"Some men don't worry," said Uncle Eben, "cause dey's got too much sense, and others don't worry 'cause dey ain't got sense enough."—Washington Star.

AN ORANGE GROVE.

Modern Methods in Cultivating the Gold of the Orchard.

You are certainly entitled to look through that wire fence and see all that constitutes an orange orchard. There are 200 round headed trees, about twelve feet in diameter. The fruit looks immensely as if it had been artificially put in place. Really those would pass for 200 Christmas trees. Does nature do this sort of work now, here else? You forget the cherry trees in your northern orchard. You have become so familiar with the scarlet globes that hang all over those trees, with oracles and robins shouting approval, and tangers with indigo birds sitting in the apple tree overhead, that you cannot fully see and appreciate the charm. But you certainly have not forgotten the glory of a McIntosh red apple tree in October or indeed a whole orchard of ripe Northern Spies, Spitzenburgs and Kings. Yet the orange has a glory all its own. It is the gold of the orchard. You thought the trees grew in groves, "but here they are in long, regular rows." That was a word borrowed from the wild oranges that in Spanish days came up where they were not and were seldom transplanted. They grew as those wild persimmons grow at the edge of the orchard or as pines and maples grow. But your modern orange trees are grown in long rows to be cultivated with plows and horses.

The real orange tree should stand about twenty-five or thirty feet high, with a trunk of five or six inches. Its foliage is dense and a rich green. It is a grand tree to sit beneath at midday and drink the juices of the fruit instead of water—it is distilled perfectly. But these trees are round and low headed, and one must stoop to get beneath them. They are made of the greater shoots that come up around the old trees after the freeze. They are more convenient to sweep, to protect from the blizzard, while the fruit is more easily gathered. You can walk all about that orchard and reach half the fruit without a ladder. It is a good illustration of how good sometimes comes out of evil.

"Different shapes?" To be sure. There are quite as many varieties of oranges in this orchard as there are of apples or plums in most of your northern orchards—fifteen or twenty, at least. The grower knows them all by name and can tell them all by the shape and the quality. He does not go at random and pick any fine big orange for his own eating, but he takes his selection—the King, or the Homosassa, or the Jaffa, or the Ruby, or Parson Brown, or Satsuma, or possibly the tangerine. He fills his pocket with selected varieties and then goes to that pine grove over there and peels them as he lunches. It is very much as we do with our pippins and Snows and dependents.

Russian Unthrift.

A condition of general unthrift among the peasants is one of the most striking features of Russian country life. Every stranger passing the frontier between that country and Germany is struck by the marked change in this respect which he encounters up to the very boundary line and which the geographical position does not at all account for. There is no gradual change in the appearance of the face of the country or the people from comparative prosperity to extreme poverty, but a sudden difference in the conditions marked by totally dissimilar methods of cultivation, dwellings and habits of thrift. Everything on the German side indicates careful cultivation and industry, while upon the Russian side the fields show bad tillage and neglect, squalid houses, inferior and uncared for stock and tools and implements lying in the fields exposed to the weather.—Herbert H. D. Peirce in Atlantic.

An Old English Custom.

The nomination of sheriffs according to the present mode dates from 1401. The "shire reeve" was first appointed by Alfred the Great to assist the aldermen and the bishop in the discharge of their judicial functions in the counties. In Edward III's reign it was enacted that they should be "ordained on the morrow of All Souls by the chancellor, treasurer and chief baron of the exchequer." The only instance of a female sheriff is that of Anne, countess of Pembroke, who on the death of her father, the Earl of Cumberland, without male heirs in 1643, succeeded to the office in Westmorland and attended the judges to Appleby.

Homely Voltaire.

Voltaire was the ugliest man of his age. Emaciated to a skeleton, all the features of his countenance were exaggerated. His nose and chin nearly met from the lack of teeth; his cheeks were sunken and wrinkled, his eyes set so far back in his head and so obscured by shaggy, overhanging brows as to be almost invisible. He usually wore a large wig, from the midst of which his attenuated features peeped out with comical effect. For years before he died his weight did not exceed ninety pounds.

Nothing More to Do.

Hubby—I don't see why you shouldn't exert yourself to make me happy. Wife—Why, of all things! You know you told me when I accepted you that I had made you the happiest man on earth. What is the use of my trying to improve on that?

Different.

"She told me in confidence that the way he makes love is absurd." "Yes, but the way he makes money isn't."—Puck.

People whose reputation depend upon their clothes have to keep dressed up all the time.

BLACK FRIDAY.

The Mad Scene in the Gold Room as That Fatful Occasion.

In the middle of the gold room was a small fountain. Around this the day's proceedings began, writes T. Hendrich in the American Magazine. Jay Gould's own brokers, pale, haggard, half distrustful and half ashamed of their work, started the bids. Gold had closed the day previously at 144. Now a Gould broker offered 145 for \$100,000 gold.

His only response were the curses and fist shakings of a bedraggled, pea-spiriting crowd.

"One hundred and forty-six for \$100,000 gold."

Still there was no response.

"One hundred and forty-seven."

Each advancing point meant millions in profits to Gould and likewise millions in losses to the community. At every advance the crowds, losing all restraint, alternately roared and wept.

"One hundred and forty-eight."

"One hundred and forty-nine."

Above the pandemonium the monotonous voices of the Gould brokers could be heard, quietly, remorselessly putting up the price.

"One hundred and fifty."

"One hundred and fifty-one."

At this point the buying began. Hitherto the crowd had been held magically spellbound. The audacity of the Gould brokers had paralyzed all. Board brokers were particularly dazed. In face of the clique's demonstrated power no one seemed able to bid, even to make the feeblest attempt to check the terrible rise.

A few uptown merchants now, however, started to purchase. Soon the bidding degenerated into panic. Every one scrambled to get his gold now while the price, judged by what had already happened and the unquestioned power of the gang, seemed low. All purchases, however, meant enormous losses.

Fortunes accumulated through years of self-sacrificing toil were swept away in a moment. In their crazy men ran aimlessly about the room, moaning, screaming, vainly appealing for help. Outside, where the crowds breathlessly waited announcements, the same scenes were repeated. Rained men, unable to get into the building itself, pushed, cursed and fought. At each rise in the price the rage against Gould increased. When the bid reached 150 there were cries of "Lynch! Lynch!"

And meanwhile what was the plotter of all this mischief doing? He was selling gold. To whom was he selling? To Fisk and all his own associates. He was the only man who really understood the situation—who knew, that is, upon what a shaky basis his "corner" rested. He sent Fisk, Belden and Speyer to the gold room to advance the clique, and when it had reached a certain point unloaded on his own account. He had sold largely, unknown to his confederates, the day before.

The Greatest of Rivers.

The Amazon is the king of streams. From first to last it receives over 1,200 tributaries, of which more than 100 are large sized rivers and rise so far apart and have their floods and ebbs at such different seasons that the Amazon is at about the same height the year around. At some points on its lower course one bank is invisible from the other. The beholder seems to be looking on a great yellow sea of fresh water. When discovered, some tribes of Indians on the lower portion knew nothing of the existence of the opposite shore and did not believe that it existed, saying that "the great river flowed all around the world." Its mouth, including that of the Para, is 150 miles in width, and it is navigable for large sized ocean steamers for 1,000 miles from the sea, and so vast is the flood that the ocean is tinged yellow for 400 miles from the coast of Brazil.

The Achaean League.

The Achaean league was formed by the twelve towns of Achaia for mutual protection against foreign aggression. It was broken up by Alexander the Great, but reorganized B. C. 250 and again dissolved B. C. 147. The record of these leagues comprised all the leading cities of the Peloponnese and, indeed, most of the cities and states of Greece. It was this league which contended with the Romans for the independence of Greece; but, its troops being defeated by Metellus at Scarpheia and by Mummius near Corinth, the league was dissolved, and all Greece submitted to the Roman domination.

Tough Eating.

Those who have partaken of peacock lecture that gorgeous bird to be decidedly tough eating, while it is said of the swan that the fact of its ever having been a familiar dish speaks highly in favor of ancient English culinary. Moreover, it should not be forgotten that when bustards' and boars' heads were as common as sirloins and saddles now are there were scarcely any vegetables to eat with them.

Why He Was Timid.

"Why do you avoid the man to whom I introduced you? He is very agreeable and interesting."

"I avoid meeting agreeable and interesting people," answered the misanthrope. "That was how I came to get my life insured in a bad company."

Prose.

"They tell me that Skinner has joined the church. Do you believe he is in earnest?"

"He must be. I saw him put a dollar in the contribution box."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

The Portuguese say no man will make a good husband who doesn't eat a good breakfast.

PURE BLOOD IS VITAL.

Not everyone realizes the vital necessity of keeping the blood pure at all times.

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SLANDERING THE STATE

It is bad to have an earthquake. It is awful to see half a city burn up. Possibly it is worse than either or both to be scandalously lied about. And it from this third calamity that San Francisco and California are now suffering. The stories told in the Eastern daily and weekly press have been bad enough, but they will be corrected on later information. The worst offenders are the publishers of the lower grades of sensational subscription books, who seem to believe that the bigger the lie the more money to be made from it, and so long as they get the money they would as soon lie as not. We have before us the "Prospect" of one of these forthcoming books, entitled "San Francisco's Earthquake Horror."

Another similar book, against whose publication the San Joaquin Valley Commercial Association has protested, is to represent all California as involved in one common ruin, and the homeless people on the verge of starvation. As a matter of fact, not one per cent of the area of the state felt any appreciable shock, and the business of the state, outside of San Francisco, is proceeding as though nothing had happened. Thousands of people are represented as killed or injured. The coroner of San Francisco has found about 350 cases of death from unnatural causes since April 18. There was some loss of life by the very weak from the shock, but without physical injury. There was the usual loss of life of a great fire. There was a severe earthquake. There was a disastrous fire. The really crippling injury inflicted was solely the result of the conflagration.

DETAILS WANTED

A telegram from Salt Lake declares that it has been announced by President Smith that the Mormon Church is to retire from business, relinquishing all its property to private corporations.

What business is going to be relinquished? What are the Mormons going to do now? The telegram does not state whether they were going out of politics or not.

NEW WEEKLY PAPER

Attorney Ross Campbell and Morris Kurlander of Santa Rosa, have purchased the Windsor Herald plant located at Windsor, in this county. They will move the plant to Santa Rosa and begin the publication of a weekly paper there.

Both young men are capable and popular and we bespeak much success for them in their new field of endeavor.

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COURT GRANTS GRILL A NEW TRIAL

The Appellate Court has handed down a batch of decisions, and among them is giving A. J. Grill of Alexander Vallejo, the alleged murderer of Winton S. Pearce, a new trial. The higher court reverses the order of the lower court in refusing to grant a new trial to the defendant. Grill is believed to have murdered Pearce because of his love for Mae Pearce, the daughter of the deceased, and because of a sum of money which was missing and which Pearce had charged him with appropriating.

Graduating Exercises

The graduating exercises of Sonoma Valley Union High School will be held in Union Hall next Friday evening. Five young ladies and and gentlemen have finished the course satisfactorily and will be given their diplomas on that evening.

An interesting program has been arranged and all who attend will attend enjoy a pleasant evening. The class of '06 is composed of Misses Hazel Gies, Jeanette Harris, Elizabeth Davis and Messrs Ernest Clewe and George Campbell.

Work Delayed

During the special holidays declared by Gov. Pardee, work has been delayed on Sonoma's new city hall. As soon as the holidays close, something will be done. It is believed and hoped that June 3 will be the last of the special holidays.

LAUNCH RIDE

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cutter took a party of friends on a jolly launch ride about the bay last Sunday. The party landed at Vallejo and took in the sights of that place before returning. The list of passengers included Capt. and Mrs. Chas. Cutter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bates, M. and Mrs. S. B. Lewis.

FREE LECTURE

On Sunday evening June 3, Mr. Edward B. Payne will deliver a free lecture at Mervyn Hall, at 8 p. m. Subject, "The world's open questions." Mr. Payne is a fluent and entertaining speaker, and as Glen Ellen is seldom favored with such an intellectual treat, we are sure he will address a large and attentive audience.

Crowds of Sight-seers

It is estimated that between 75,000 and 80,000 people visited San Francisco last Sunday. Sonoma Valley gave its quota of this vast crowd visiting the stricken metropolis. Among those who went from Sonoma were—Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hotz, Lloyd Hotz, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Johnson, Mrs. M. A. Johnson, the Misses L. Johnson, Miss Meyers, Marie McGimsey, Mamie Fochetti, Lillie Bulotti, Hazel Goess, Leonora Quararoli, Mrs. O. W. Gericke and son, Mrs. Adam Adler, Mrs. Solomonson, Mrs. Darling, Mrs. Ada Pauli, Roy Pauli, George Goess, Henry Castagnasso and son, and Jesse Burris.

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Theodore Bell Helps

At the request of a number of Santa Rosa citizens, former Congressman Theodore A. Bell of Napa has lent his assistance to the movements looking to the securing of an appropriation for the erection of a public building in that city, and has wired and written Representative John Sharp Williams leader of the minority, Representative Barthold, Chairman of the Committee on Public Buildings, and a number of other prominent men at Washington, impressing the necessities of the situation and making a strong plea for the proposed building.

HIGH SCHOOL

By unanimous vote of the graduating class, Rev. C. C. Cragin was asked to preach the sermon to the graduating class next Sunday morning May 27.

It has been the custom from the first to have these baccalaureate sermons commencement week in the college chapel. But it is becoming an increasing usage to have them for the graduating classes of the high school. The custom is a good one. Let us never divorce education and religion. All are invited to the services.

Substantial Assistance

Here is good news for the members of the Masonic fraternity in Santa Rosa. A telegram was received Saturday night from Grand Master Flint announcing a donation of \$25,000 for rebuilding the Masonic Temple. The telegram is as follows:

"C. D. Barnett, Santa Rosa: Unanimous that \$25,000 be given brethren of Santa Rosa out of funds in my hands. Am determined that Masonic Temple will be rebuilt in your city. Will write you fully from Los Angeles Monday."

There are now no saloons in San Francisco for the first time in its history, the Board having revoked every liquor license there. It is highly probable that the proposed amendment to the new city charter, will raise the license from \$84 to \$500 per year. There were over 3500 places where liquors were sold prior to April 18th.

NOTICE

We hereby announce to our friends that we are at present receiving all shipments of Fruits and Vegetables, on Greenwich Street, San Francisco, and are expecting to locate at our old quarters again within two or three weeks. In the meantime, all shipments will be given our best attention at our present quarters.

We have ready sales at good prices for all produce shippers.

VAN HUSEN & CO.
Commission Merchants
San Francisco.

Cloverdale is to have a new sewer system to cost \$18,000. Work on the same will commence the first of June.

One way to gain lots of relatives, is to die rich and leave no will.

FIRST BALL GAME

A good game of baseball is promised for next Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m., between the Sonoma and Glen Ellen Baseball Teams at the City Hotel Grounds. Admission 15 cents, and children 10 cts.

The meeting of the Counties Committee have been the means of bringing together men engaged in development work for all portions of the state to their mutual

PRESENTATION CONVENT.

The Sisters of the Presentation Convent School are working hard to make the singing exercises one of the best that has ever been given by this institution of learning.

The school is growing steadily in numbers and usefulness and no doubt the attendance at the entertainment on Saturday evening June 9, will be very large.

The proceeds will be devoted to urgent repairs on the school building which was injured by the earthquake.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Taxes will be delinquent at 6 p. m. the first business day after the Governor has ceased to declare holidays. All banks in Sonoma county are now open and ready to transact necessary business.

Tax office now located at the County Jail, on Third St.

FRANK P. GRACE

Tax Collector of Sonoma
County, California.

See the new summer dress goods at Hotz.

Nagle Goes East

Walter H. Nagle, the premier pitcher of the National league in California last season, has accepted a place in the Buffalo nine and has already started East to play ball.

See the new summer dress goods at Hotz.

Hotz, Successful Bidder

Mayor Hotz was in Petaluma on Friday last and purchased the stock of dry goods belonging to H. Seiss, in the Sonoma Racket Store. A Santa Rosa firm bought the Petaluma stock.

The goods have been removed to Mr. Hotz's store on Napa St.

Reduction Sale

Commencing Monday, May 28, Mr. G. H. Hotz will reduce prices in most every department in his store. This will not be a great sale, but a general reduction to give all customers the advantage of his recent purchase of the Racket Store stock of dry goods. Those wishing to purchase summer goods wash skirts, dresses and waists, blankets, comforters, sheets, pillow cases, and many other staple articles should visit his store.

Don't build before getting figures on your building from A. W. Adler. He will save you money.

Social Meeting

The social meeting of the Women's Club was held at the home of Mrs. L. V. Emperan last Friday afternoon and a most delightful time was enjoyed.

Mrs. Stearns lead a very interesting discussion on parliamentary practice.

Light refreshments were served. A collection amounting to three dollars was taken up for the purpose of buying fisher for the club. Mrs. M. E. Calderwood announced that the lumber was on hand for the new library building on 1st St. East.

Beautiful trimmed hats, ready to wear; hat and hat shapes at G. H. Hotz.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA.

J. P. LOUSTALET, Plaintiff,
vs.
Edward Stephens, R. R. Telford, John Tridgen, Stephen Card, Robert J. Pauli, Caroline Pauli, Albert P. Pauli, Paulina Pauli, Elsie Pauli, Rachel, Peter Campbell, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to the plaintiff herein, Defendants.

This action is brought in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, and the complaint is filed in this in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is ex-officio clerk of said Court.

The People of the State of California send greetings to Edward Stephens, R. R. Telford, John Tridgen, Stephen Card, Robert J. Pauli, Caroline Pauli, Albert P. Pauli, Paulina Pauli, Elsie Pauli, Rachel, Peter Campbell, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to the plaintiff herein, Defendants.

The plaintiff above named has brought an action against you and each of you in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, and has filed the complaint in said action in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is ex-officio clerk of said Court.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer as above required, said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or he will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

The real property affected by said action, situate, lying and being in the City of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Lot No. fifty (50), except that portion thereof in the northeast corner being one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet fronting on Napa Street by a uniform depth of one hundred and fifty (150) feet, now owned by Granville S. Harris; also lots Nos. forty-nine (49), sixty-four (64), sixty-five (65), and forty-eight (48), also that certain strip or parcel of land formerly known as a street and lying at a right angle between lots 48 and 60 on the west and lots 49 and 64 on the east, saving and excepting, however, from out of said lots, Nos. 65 and 48, that certain strip of land on the west side, said lot being twenty (20) feet wide and six hundred and fifty-five (655) feet long, heretofore sold and conveyed by P. J. Vasquez and Catherine, his wife, to Gasiano Noli, saving and excepting also out of said lots Nos. 65 and 48, those certain portions thereof fronting two hundred (200) feet on Napa Street, by a depth of six hundred and fifty-five (655) feet, sold and conveyed by L. Quararoli and Amelia Quararoli, his wife, to Luigi Malloa by a deed dated March 18th, 1902.

The object of said action is as follows: 1. To compel the said defendants to set forth the nature of their claims in and to said lands. 2. To obtain a decree of said Court whereby all claims of said defendants, all and singular, in and to said lands adverse to the said plaintiff's ownership thereof, shall be determined. 3. To obtain a decree of said Court declaring and adjudging that said plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of said lands, and that said defendants, all and singular, have no estate in or to said lands or any part thereof. 4. To have said defendants, all and singular, by said Court forever enjoined and debarred from asserting any claim whatever in or to said lands adverse to said plaintiff. 5. To obtain an award and allowance by said Court to said plaintiff of their costs in said action and to obtain such other relief as in the premises shall to said plaintiff seem meet.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, this 12th day of December, 1905.

SEAL F. L. WRIGHT, County Clerk
By G. A. FELDMAYER, Deputy Clerk

SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, No. 637.

GILBERT P. MILLER, Plaintiff,
vs.
BESSIE MILLER, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and the complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County of Sonoma.

Clarence P. Lee, Santa Rosa, California, Attorney for Plaintiff.

The People of the State of California send greetings to Bessie Miller, Defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or he will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

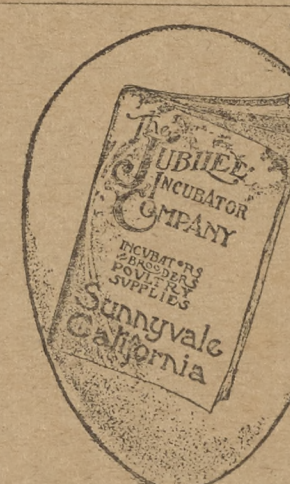
Given under my hand and the seal of the said Superior Court, this 20th day of March, 1906.

SEAL F. L. WRIGHT, County Clerk
By J. W. FORD, Deputy Clerk

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A. SCHWEIKHARDT
PROPRIETOR OF THE
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Fancy and Staple Groceries of Quality at the right prices. Quick free delivery. Courteous treatment.
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Buster Brown Shoes FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

ALL SIZES AND WIDTHS.
A BOOK OF
Jokes and Jingles
WITH EACH PAIR.
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Delightfully Fragrant Healing and Soothing
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Notice to All Holders of Fire Insurance.

All policies of Fire Insurance are ineffective unless all chimneys or flues are pronounced safe by the public inspector, appointed by the Board of Supervisors in accordance with circular issued by Board of Fire Insurance Underwriters. Repair all chimneys and flues at once. Notify your District Inspector and get certificate. Inspectors of this supervisor district are:
Wm. Trudgen of Sonoma,
J. D. Ellis of Petaluma.

\$105 TO BE GIVEN AWAY.

WHO WANTS THE MONEY?
Who will write us the best story of personal experience in using ALLEN'S SELF RISING B. B. FLOUR. We want 100 testimonials, not to exceed 200 words each, and we are willing to pay for them. Write and tell us why and where you first bought B. B. FLOUR and how long you have used it. Tell us how you like and whether you have found it an agreeable and wholesome addition to the family menu. Tell us about the PAN CAKES, the BOSTON MUFFINS, the FRUIT PUDDING and the FAMOUS BOSTON BROWN BREAD.

Now, to the person sending us the best recommendation and the most artistic letter, we will pay \$5 in gold; and we will pay \$1 each for 100 other letters that we use. We wish to use these letters in our advertising, but no name will be published without the written consent of the writer.

If you have not used self-rising B. B. FLOUR get a package and begin now; we will give you sufficient time to take advantage of this offer.

Every good grocer sells it and you will find directions in every package.

Use the four principal receipts and write us about it. We are interested in your experience.
ALLEN'S B. B. FLOUR CO.,
Pacific Coast Factory, San Jose, Calif.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Beware the Signature of
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The Swiss Hotel

West side of Plaza, Sonoma.
Board and Lodging \$5 week
Good Accommodations.
Hot Mineral Springs near by.

Fine Wines, Liquors & Cigars
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Leading Hotel of Sonoma.
EXCELLENT TABLE.
Headquarters for Commercial
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Meals 25¢ and 50¢
Meals 25¢ and 50¢. Lodging 25¢, 50¢
A Liberal Reduction on Rates
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Toscana Hotel

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BOARD AND LODGING, \$1 DAY UP
Fine Wines, Liquors & Cigars
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FINE WATCH REPAIRING.
Next to Union Hotel.

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Three doors from Sonoma Valley
Park, Napa Street.
San Francisco Dailies delivered
inside the city limits without extra
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Stone work is cheaper than wood
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Cabinet work, refrigerators,
book cases, chests and Mission
furniture. Properly made to order
at Adler's Planing Mill, Spain St.

LOCAL ITEMS

Elton Hunt fell and badly
sprained his wrist at the rink last
Saturday evening.

For a nice cool drink in a nice
cool place go to the Globe Saloon in
the Ticino Hotel on Spain St.

Mr. Otto Wagner contemplates
going into the real estate business
in Sonoma.

A horse and wagon belonging to
Mr. Leveaux took a lively spin
Tuesday morning and landed in
front of the Sonoma News Depot.
No one was injured.

Mr. and Mrs. Matterson of San
Francisco, are guests of Sonoma
friends.

Misses Emily and Myrtle Olson
have returned to San Francisco
after having visited with Miss Clase.

The County Board of Education
will meet in Santa Rosa tomorrow
to continue the mailing of sets of
questions for the coming examination
in the various county schools.

The work of removing the upper
story of the Sonoma Valley Bank
Building has been resumed.

The California State Fair will
open in Sacramento on Aug. 25th
next.

The many friends of Co. Sur-
veyor N. V. V. Smythe are urging
his nomination on the Republican
ticket for county clerk.

John Miller, a pioneer black-
smith of Santa Rosa died at his
home there last Friday afternoon.

D. Modini and Miss Bellmont, of
Petaluma, visit friends and rela-
tives in Sonoma last Friday.

Sheriff Taylor of Marin Co. and
Detective Thatcher had business
in Sonoma on Monday.

The Board of Supervisors of
Sonoma county, will, at their next
regular meeting on the first Mon-
day in June, pass an ordinance
prohibiting smoking in or about
the county buildings.

The fine coach dog lost from the
Spreckles' Ranch was found through
the ad in the Expositor.

John Stockwell and family have
moved into one of the Schocken
cottages on Spain St.

Beautiful trimmed hats, ready to
wear; hat and hat shapes at G. H.
Hotz

The calls for relief in San Fran-
cisco are decreasing perceptibly
each day and the temporary relief
stations scattered throughout the
city are one by one being discon-
tinued as they are being no longer
needed.

The State Grange will meet in
Santa Rosa next October.

Sebastopol wants to be the
county seat and the Anny Standard
is advocating building the new
court house over in that city,
stating that there is no good reason
why it should not be done.

We have yet been unable to hear
or think of any good reason why
such a change should be made at
this or any other time.

Old brick has been advertised in
Santa Rosa for \$4 per thousand.

M. McDonough, former proprietor
of the Grand Hotel in Santa
Rosa, was a well known visitor
here Tuesday.

Rev. Father Leahy spent Sunday
last in Sonoma. His many friends
here are glad to note his restora-
tion to health after his trying ill-
ness.

A number of families have come
into the valley recently to make
permanent homes here.

Next Thursday afternoon the
Ladies Aid Society will give a Gar-
den Tea at the home of F. T. Duhr-
ing. Fine music, and sale of kitchen
aprons, candy, coffee, and ice cream.
Admission 10 c

Station Agent G. W. Reed has
been considerably under the weath-
er this week but is now improving.
Mr. Perkins filled his place at the
C. N. depot for a few days.

FOR RENT—A house of 6 rooms
centrally located. See Futterer,
the tailor.

A laughable drama entitled,
"Which is which" will be played
in Union Hall, Saturday evening,
June 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bernard
are filling a theatrical engagement
in Fresno and other cities in the
southern part of the state.

Kitchen aprons for sale next
Thursday afternoon.

GLEN ELLEN

Sunday June 24 is the day set
aside for a match game of ball be-
tween the Club of Sonoma and
Glen. We predict a close game
and a winning for our side.

Mr. Chakurian has been quite
ill the past week with asthma and
in consequence no services were
held at the Congregational Church
last Sunday.

It is the intention of Prof. and
Mrs. Schieck to give a weekly
dance at the Mervyn Hall. No
doubt these dances will be well
attended. Mr. and Mrs. Schieck
were deprived of their home and a
livelihood in San Francisco by the
fire and earthquake.

Considerable building is now
under way in this locality, consist-
ing of those damaged by the earth-
quake, and others which were be-
gun since that time. Carpenters,
tradesmen and laborers are in con-
stant demand.

We have among us many young
and active men but none that will
drive a nail or with an obstinate
saw, with more accuracy than that
battle scarred war veteran, that
pioneer of pioneers, Geo. E. Colo.
When we say pioneer, we did not
mean that he was one of the origi-
nal Bear Flag party, but that he
came here some time later.

Mrs. Jane Eldridge and her two
sons, Charlie and Sam, are now
stopping at the Mervyn Hotel, in
this place. Many Sonoma people
will remember the old pioneer
family and we are glad to state
that Mrs. Eldridge, although quite
advanced in years, is still enjoying
the best of health. They came to
the recent earthquake in San
Francisco and came to Glen Ellen
until such time as their home and
business could be restored.

The dance given by the Glen
Ellen Base Ball at Mervyn Hall
last Saturday evening, was one of
the most enjoyable events of the
past week. About 30 couple at-
tended. Prof. and Mrs. Herman
Schieck furnished the music, which,
as usual, was excellent. Mr. Geo.
O. Cobb was Master of Ceremonies
and certainly was the right man in
the right place.

The carpenter work on the 2nd
story of the Poppe building is al-
most completed and the building is
quite an improvement to that part
of town. Mr. Chauvet has also be-
gan building in the three story
brick adjoining and the next few
months will see these buildings
complete.

The many summer resorts in
this vicinity are rapidly receiving
all guests that can comfortably be
accommodated. The surrounding
country in this vicinity looks its
best and a more beautiful spot
would be hard to find.

The basket picnic given by Glen
Ellen Grange last Saturday at
Druids Hall, on the O'Donnell
ranch, was a most enjoyable affair.
The music furnished by Jerry
Lafferty and Jim Pieratt, who we
believe received their early mus-
ical training on the Poppe ranch,
was all that could have been de-
sired, and it reminded one of the
"good old days." The fat mans
race, participated in by Gen.
Wagner, of Civil War fame. Thos.
Johnson, the free market advocate,
and Mr. Lemoine of the Dunbar
Improvement Club, was very in-
teresting and should receive more
than ordinary mention. Mr. Le-
moine, the winner, easily distanced
his competitors. Mr. Wagner com-
ing in a good second and Mr.
Johnson, out of breath, puffing like
Jack Harris' new brick engine,
came in last. We extended to Mr.
Johnson our sympathies and cer-
tainly believe that those good old
grange pies like mother used to
make, were the cause of Mr.
Johnsons failure in the race.

MEMORIAL SUNDAY

May 27 has been designated
Memorial Sunday by the Congrega-
tion in Chief of the Grand Army of the
Republic. It will be observed at
the Congregational Church, Sunday
evening, by special memorial ser-
vices. Let all honor the day which
commemorates a reunited nation.
Let all honor the memory of the
heroes who died for a principal,
Union and Confederate alike.

THE CONCERT

Don't miss the grand concert
tomorrow night in Union Hall.
Prof. Avedano and a corps of
trained assistants will render a
fine program of a high order. The
proceeds will be given to the So-
nomma Relief Committee for the
purpose of helping the destitute suf-
ferers of the late calamity.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

From now on until further notice
we hereby notify our customers
and the public generally, that our
meat market in the City Building,
Napa St., will remain open even-
ings until 8 o'clock and on Sun-
day mornings until 10:30 o'clock.
Respectfully
Lewis & Cummings

SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of California,
In and for the County of Sonoma. No. 8383.
In the matter of the Life Estate of ROSE
SARTOR, deceased.
Camillo Aguilon, Petitioner.
Application for Decree to Declare Life Estate
terminated. C. C. P. No. 178. R. F. Crawford,
Attorney for Petitioner.
The People of the State of California and
growing to Frank L. Blackburn, administrator
of the estate of Rose Sartor, deceased, and
equally to all persons interested in the estate of
said deceased, other than the said heirs.
You are hereby directed to appear and answer
the petition or proceeding in an action entitled
as above, brought against you in the Superior
Court of the State of California, in and for the
County of Sonoma, within ten days after the ser-
vice on you of this summons—if served within
this County; or within thirty days if served
elsewhere.
And you are hereby notified that unless you
appear and answer as above required, the said
Petitioner will take judgment for any money or
damages demanded in the Petition, as
aforesaid upon contract, or he will apply to the
Court for any other relief demanded in the
Petition.

Given under my hand and the
seal of the said Superior Court
this 8th day of March, 1906.
F. L. WRIGHT, County Clerk.
By J. W. FORD, Deputy Clerk.

PUT YOUR PLACE IN GOOD CONDITION

I make and deal in
Store, Restaurant, Saloon and
Office Fixtures, Mirrors, Counters,
Show Cases, Shelving and Scales.
ESTIMATES SUBMITTED
Work for outside towns a specialty.
T. H. MEIK
1142 Mission St. San Francisco, Cal.
(At 5th and Mission before the
quake.)

BOARD OF HEALTH NOTICE

The Board of Health of the City
of Sonoma, gives notice to all
owning, occupying, or in charge
of property in the City of Sonoma
to prepare, disinfect, and place in
sanitary condition all premises,
privies, vaults, cess-pools, and
drains.

To remove all garbage, rubbish,
decaying matter, or other offensive
material.
Or suffer to remain on said prop-
erty any standing pools of water,
or anything injurious to health, or
drain any sewerage into any sloop, hy-
drant, or on to another property.

See City Ordinance, Article
XIII, Sub division III.
BOARD OF HEALTH,
City of Sonoma.
G. C. NICHOLS, M. D.,
Health Officer.

FREDBULOTTI Sign, House and Ornamental PAINTER

Paperhanging and Kalsomining.
Estimates Furnished. First-class
work guaranteed. Shop and resi-
dence, Napa St. near the Grammar
School.
SONOMA

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

TO
PROPERTY OWNERS

All taxpayers are required by the
constitution to make and deliver to
the County Assessor, annually, a
statement, under oath, setting forth
specifically all the real and personal
property owned by such person,
or in his possession, or under his
control, at 12 o'clock meridian on
the FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH.
Note: The assessment of prop-
erty throughout the State of Calif-
ornia is made during the months of
March, April, May and June, and
the law requires that each individual
property holder file a statement
with the Assessor or his deputy
during those months.

MORTGAGES

Mortgagees, or persons who hold
mortgages against others, must an-
nually during the month of March
report to the Assessor the amount
due on their mortgages, on the first
Monday in March, otherwise proper
deduction cannot be made.

PERSONAL PROPERTY
The Assessor must collect the
taxes on all personal property when,
in his opinion, said taxes are not a
lien upon real property sufficient to
secure the payment of the taxes.
The Assessor or his deputy must
collect such taxes at the time of
making the assessment.

STATE POLL AND ROAD POLL TAX

Are due on demand from all per-
sons liable to same. Between the
first Monday in March and the
first Monday in July, the amount
is \$2.00 each, if not paid by the
first Monday in July, \$1.00 is ad-
ded and the amount becomes \$3.00
each.

All persons owning real estate
that has heretofore been assessed
to the wrong name, or those who
have purchased real estate within
the past year, are requested to ap-
pear with their deeds at the Asses-
sor's office or to the deputies,
during the months of March, April
and May, and have the proper
changes made.

Will those having fruit trees or
vines kindly enumerate the same,
giving number and age of each
kind, so as to save time when the
Deputy Assessor calls.

Any desired information relative
to assessments will be furnished
upon application at the County
Assessor's office, Court House,
Santa Rosa.

FRANK E. DOWD,
County Assessor
M. AKERS, Dep. for Sonoma Dist.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

On or about June 1st, 1906, we
will move our residence and print-
ing office to the Ralph E. Murphy
property on Napa St., a few doors
west.

A new and commodious printing
office is now being built on the prop-
erty for the Expositor plant.

We will then be better prepared
than ever to furnish the neat-est
ann best job printing in Sonoma on
short notice. Don't forget to give
your orders for job printing to the
Sonoma Valley Expositor.

It is a good time of the year to
lay cement walks. They are the
cheapest and best in the end. Wm.
Trudgen does that work properly
and at a reasonable price. Consult
him. Consultation free.

The Quality Of Gluten

The quality of the gluten is of
far more importance than the quan-
tity. For this reason the chemists
make a baking test of "A 1" Flour.
This test is made at regular inter-
vals so as to maintain the quality
of "A 1" Flour.

PROF. AVEDANO

(Late of the Tivoli, San Francisco)
INSTRUCTOR IN VOICE
CULTURE
SONOMA CALIFORNIA

Cash Raising Sale

Five days more. Have you taken advantage
of any of the extra values offered in the
different departments? Lots more this week
This is a cash raising sale for us. A cash
saving sale for you.

65c Dress Goods 48c yard
38 inch invisible Plaid Suitings in Tan, Green, Red and Black
65c value. CASH RAISING PRICE, yard.....48c

85 Covert Suiting 65c yard
Tan and Grey, invisible stripe, 56 inches wide. Good value at
85c. CASH RAISING PRICE, yard.....65c

81-3c Laces 5c yard
Oon to two inches wide, lace and insertion to match. Would
make a good 8 1/2c seller. CASH RAISING PRICE, yd.....5c

25c Children's Lace Hose 12c pair
Sizes 5, 6, 6 1/2, 7, in black, and 5 and 5 1/2 in red. A pretty
children's dress stocking. CASH RAISING PRICE, pair.....12c

10c Embroidery, 7c yard
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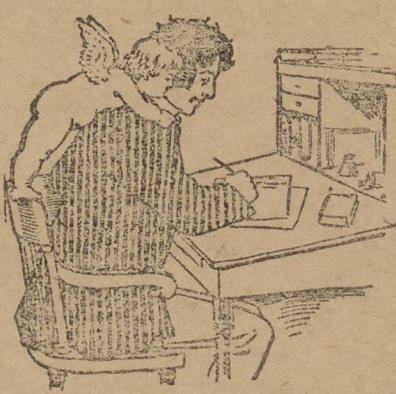
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SEX IN HANDWRITING.

A BALL OF FIRE.

Frankie of a Thunderbolt in a House

In Paris.

Camille Flammarion in his book "Thunder and Lightning" describes some of the phenomena of electrical storms. Of the actions of a ball of fire in Paris he says: "It was in the Rue St. Jacques, near the Val de Grace. The fire ball burst into the room from the chimney, knocking over the paper guard in front of the fireplace. In appearance it suggested a young cat gutted up in a ball, as it went, and moving along without using its paws. It approached the tailor's legs as if to play with them. The tailor moved them away to avoid the contact, of which he naturally was in terror.

"After some seconds the globe of fire rose vertically to the height of the man's face as he sat, and he to save himself leaped quickly back and fell over. The fire ball continued to rise and made its way toward a hole which had been made at the top of the chimney for the insertion of a stovepipe in the winter, but which the tailor put it afterward, the fire ball couldn't see, because it was closed up with paper.

"The ball slipped off the paper neatly, entered the chimney quite quietly and, having risen to the summit, produced a tremendous explosion, which sent the chimney pot flying and scattered it in bits all over the neighboring courtyard and surrounding roofs."

LIFE'S LITTLE THINGS.

The Career and Ending of the Famous Pirate.

Captain Kidd, the famous pirate, started his career with the intention of suppressing piracy. In February, 1697, he left the Hudson in the Adventure Galley with a crew of 150 men with his intention. This expedition had been quipped chiefly at the expense of the Whig ministers, and its commander arrived with him, "besides the ordinary errors of mariners, a commission under the great seal empowering him to seize pirates and to take them to some place where they might be dealt with according to law."

The king's right to the goods found in possession of these malefactors was granted by letters patent to the supporters of the expedition, his majesty securing only one-tenth of the spoil. Kidd, however, soon finding that little was to be gained by the adventure, threw off all disguise and hoisted the Jolly Roger.

His rapacity and cruelty were unbounded, and in less than two years he amassed the sum of £200,000. With this he thought to make his peace with the authorities and end his days in luxury, but he was arrested at New York and brought to England, where he was tried and hanged at Execution dock in 1701.—London Saturday Review.

Prince Napoleon.

Prince Napoleon in 1870 was something of a prophet. When he heard of the emperor's declaration of war he hurried to St. Cloud and had a stormy interview with the emperor. He didn't hesitate to say, "It is the emperor who has brought this upon us," and the emperor, while offended at his frankness, admitted that "your presentiments perhaps correspond with mine." Then the prince fired his last shot and showed that, though he might go astray in many things, he knew of the weakness of France and the strength of Germany. He turned on his heel and, with that bitterness which he didn't hesitate to exhibit when occasion required, said: "So be it; so be it! Let us, however, make haste to pack our possessions, for we are already beaten." And so the result proved.

The Saltiest of the Salt Seas.

Some idea of the saltiness of the waters of the Dead sea may be gained from the comparison made below. The Dead sea is situated in Palestine, 20 miles east of Jerusalem. It is 85 miles long and from 10 to 15 miles wide, with an average depth of 20 fathoms (120 feet). Common ocean water contains but 26 parts of salt to the 1,000. Those of the Dead sea contain 250 parts to the 1,000, which makes the briny solution exactly one-fourth salt.

The Calabar Bean.

The famous Calabar bean is said to be worse than strychnine. The natives use it for an ordeal. If a person is accused of a crime he is made to eat one, being adjudged to be guilty in case of death, which is almost inevitable. Another seed employed for a like purpose is that of the ordeal tree of Madagascar, said to be the most deadly of vegetable products. One of these seeds about the size of an almond will kill twenty men.

Curly Hair.

Curly hair is a constitutional, hereditary phenomenon. The curly hair curls because it is fat. Straight hair is cylindrical. Being fat, the hair has a natural tendency to assume a spiral shape. Cutting has no effect, as the cause of the flatness lies in the shape of the follicle. Hair issuing from a slanting, crooked follicle is bound to be flattened and twisted.

Natural Inquiry.

"I had a cousin who was in one position for thirty-four years, and"— began his story.

"Hold on! a government job or playin' a game o' chess?" inquired Old Codger in his usual grim way.—Puck.

Embarrassing.

Rich Flanice—Oh, this bouquet is too costly! You must take it back to the Lieutenant! Violet—Oh, that's all right, miss. Since my master is engaged to you he has been able to get things on credit.—Ellegende Blatter.

In the true life of the individual each day is the beginning of a new year.—Jordan.

Good Old Remedy.

"How did you cure your boy of swearing?"
"By the laying on of hands, principally."—Chicago Record Herald.

AN AFRICAN FOREST.

Familiar Effects Produced by Wind, Sunlight and Shadow.

An explorer describes a central African forest: "Ten miles west of the lake begins the only piece of real virgin forest met with. It is throughout a dense virgin forest and almost impenetrable. It consists of very large trees of many varieties. The upper parts are festooned with a light grayish green moss hanging in long streamers and giving to the forest a very fantastic appearance. When these long streamers are agitated by a storm they make the whole forest, seen from one of the hills near, look like a rough sea. Again, when the sun is vertical the whole forest appears dark, but when the sun is low the general effect on the sunny side is curiously light.

"All the trees are bound together with innumerable lianas and creeping plants. Between the stems is a dense tangled mass of lesser vegetation. The forest stands to a great extent in the water and mud of the swamp. A singular feature of it is the abruptness with which it begins and ceases on the plain. The grassy swamp or open country reaches to the mighty wall of trees, which continue in the same density from one side to the other. There is no smaller wood or scrub outside forming a transition from the open plain to the forest.

"Inside, the silence and gloom are accentuated by the apparent absence of animal or bird life. There are some herds of buffaloes that make it a headquarters, elephants visit it occasionally, monkeys and parrots are sometimes seen, and a harrassed antelope now and then appears at the edge, but the general impression left is one of lifelessness."

THE HORNBILL.

A Bird That Imprisons His Mate During the Breeding Season.

A remarkable mode of incarceration is practiced by the hornbills, birds with immense bills and horny crests, which inhabit southern Asia, the Malayan islands and central and southern Africa. In most if not all species the brooding female is walled up in a hollow tree and fed by her mate.

She remains confined in her prison until the eggs are hatched, and in some species until the young birds are able to fly. Meanwhile the mother has become temporarily incapable of flight, as she has molted, or at least shed all her wing feathers, during her captivity. But the male is indefatigable in providing for his family and is said to work so hard that he is reduced almost to a skeleton at the end of the brooding season.

According to the theory of many natives, the female is imprisoned to prevent her neglecting her duty of brooding, and if she has been unfaithful or negligent her mate closes the little window of her cell and abandons her to a painful death by suffocation. The true story, perhaps, is this: The female walls herself in so that she cannot fall from the nest after losing her feathers and also to protect herself from enemies. The building material is her own excrement. This version is less poetical than the other, but it is probably nearer the truth. It is supported by the statement that the female liberates herself as soon as the young birds are well grown, so that her prison is less formidable than it appears.—Scientific American.

Origin of Italics.

Italic letters were first used about the year 1500 by Aldus Manutius, a Venetian printer. He observed the many inconveniences resulting from the vast number of abbreviations which were then so frequent among the printers that a book was difficult to understand. A treatise was actually written on the art of reading a printed book and thus addressed to the learned. By introducing the italic letter he contrived an expedient by which these abbreviations might be entirely got rid of and yet books suffer little increase in bulk. He dedicated his invention to the Italian states; hence the name. It has also been distinguished by the name of the inventor and called the Aldine. The first book printed in italics was an edition of "Virgil" printed at Venice by Aldus in 1501.

The Traitors' Gate.

One of the most famous entrances in the world is doubtless the ancient Traitors' gate, in the Tower of London. It was through this portal for several centuries that traitors were conducted from the shores of the river Thames to the tower. To Americans probably the most familiar of these unfortunates was Sir Walter Raleigh. Today a pathway passes directly in front of the gate, completely cutting it off, and from this pathway the famous wicket gate is gazed upon by many thousands of visitors.

The Result.

"Women are naturally more artistic than men."
"Yes," answered the matter of fact person; "that's why so many of us look funny when we wear our Christmases heekies and smoking jackets. Our wives want us to look artistic."—Washington Star.

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Little Girl—I want to get a mitten, please, an' charge it to me mother. Shopkeeper—A mitten? You mean a pair of mittens, sissy. Little Girl—No; just only one; one that's suitable for a boy that's going to propose an' be rejected.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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Johnny—Come in. Sister's expectin' you. Mr. Steplate—How do you know? Johnny—She's been sleepin' all day.—Exchange.

Beauty is part of the finished language which goodness speaks.—Ellot.

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